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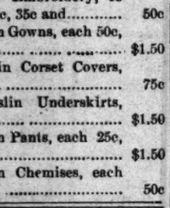

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THE CONFEDERATE VETERANS' BUILDING.

A few years ago it was deemed advisable by R. E. Lee Camp, No. 2, C. V, to secure a permanent home, so the Woman's Auxiliary was requested to "look around" and suggest a suitable place. Mrs. J. Marriott Hill conceived the idea of purchasing the deLagnel property, No. 806 Prince street. At first the suggestion seemed absurd, but when it was learned a cash donation of one thousand dollars would be made, it assumed a different phase; accordingly a committee of three ladies was appointed, the proper persons interviewed, the cost of the property ascertained, and when the camp next met they were present, stated what had been done and asked that a committee from the camp be appointed to co-operate with them and look after the business part of the transaction. The members were much enthused, heartily endorsed the project, worked with a will to obtain the desired end, and the property was purchased at a cost of five thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars. The Woman's Auxiliary asked the co-operation of the United Daughters of the Confederacy; this was promptly responded to, and a member from each Chapter was appointed to serve on this committee, thus increasing it to five—Mrs. Wm. A. Smoot from the 17th Virginia regiment; Mrs. Wm. F. Creighton from Mary Custis Lee; Mrs. J. Marriott Hill, Mrs. Thomas Perry and Mrs. E. H. O'Brien of the Woman's Auxiliary. These ladies met, and, with the assistance of Mr. Lawrence Perry, mapped out a plan of action, and elected Mrs. O'Brien chairman and treasurer of the building fund. Each lady, armed with "a little red book" in which was written authority from Mr. K. Kemper, commander of the camp waited on those person sassigned to her, and thus a subscription list was started. Through Mr. J. Marriott Hill our well-known, energetic and generous citizen, five hundred dollars was received from Alexandria Gentlemen's Driving Park Association, J. M. Hill, president and five hundred dollars from Grange Camp Association of Northern Virginia, J. B. Jones, president. Various sums, from one to one hundred dollars, quickly followed, many of our good citizen, pledging sums from one to five dollars annually for a term of five years; in most instances these pledges have been redeemed year by year, several having been paid in full. The two Chapters of U. D. C. each pledged fifty dollars, the D. A. R. ten dollars, R. E Lee Camp the sum of seventy-five dollars, each to be paid annually. All this was begun in the spring of 1903, and now from contributions, a bazaar, lawn, parties, oyster suppers, concerts, lectures &c. &c., the sum of four thousand, and two hundred and fifty dollars has been paid, the indebtedness now being fifteen hundred dollars. The Alexandria Library is located on the second floor of this building. As this is an institution of which our city is justly proud it is seemly that it, jointly with Lee Camp, should be housed in the Confederate Veterans' building. The Junior Daughters determined they would look after the interior of the building as far as possible; so, as their first effort, handsome shades were put to each window in the building. Last spring it was determined to improve the entire building, and by concerted action many contributions were received, both in money and material. Mrs. E. E. Padgett, wife of the well-known decorator of our city, received a large lot of exquisite wall-paper from the satisfactory, reliable, wholesale wall paper dealer, E. N. Richards, of Washington, D. C., as well as the beautiful hall paper from "the largest wall paper factory in the world," The Syracuse Paper and Pulp Co., of Philadelphia, Pa. Through the efforts of another member, two hundred pounds of the celebrated Lewis white lead were received from the John T. Lewis & Bros. Company, Philadelphia, Pa., which has made the beautiful white paint in the building the admiration of the entire community; when this was further embellished by a coat of hard white enamel, six gallons of which were given by the F. W. Devoe & C. T. Reynolds Company, of New York, it became "a thing of beauty." May it "be a joy forever. Our people, generally, are notified that for white work nothing surpasses Lewis white lead and Devoe's hard white enamel. Witness the interior of the Confederate Veteran's building, of Alexandria, Virginia. We take this opportunity to publicly thank these firms for their generous contributions, also their good wishes. The two parlors, Lee Camp Hall, were most elegantly papered by Mr. Webb, so well known to our people as a courteous, reliable and conscientious paper-hanger and decorator; while any one who looks at the fine work in the east parlor and the artistic hallway will recognize the well-known handiwork of Mr. Padgett; the painting in Lee Camp Hall and hallway being beautifully done by Mr. Latham and Mr. Roland. The handsome chandeliers have been reburnished and are now the most beautiful in the city. The magnificent carpet, purchased by the indefatigable Junior Daughters, covering the halls and stairways, not only makes this beautiful place perfect, but shows that "while girls will be girls," they have the same indomitable courage and preseverence that has made their fathers, the Confederate soldiers, world renowned. An order has been given the celebrated sculptor, George Julian Zolway, for a bronze tablet to be placed on the hall of the building, in memory of Miss Julia Celeste de-Lagnel whose home this was; as the artist is now at work on the design, it becomes necessary for all promised contributions to be promptly sent in. As the library rooms have been so nicely papered by Mr. Padgett, so satisfactorily painted by Mr. Rodier, and rendered so attractive by the many improvements made by the library board of managers, it will be the work of the springtime to improve the front of the building. The success of this undertaking has been due, in no small degree to Alexandria Gazette, that, aside from a generous donation in the beginning, has so willingly given its columns to further any scheme looking to the advancement of this work; thus showing how truly it is "the very age and body of the times" and is losing none of its old time popularity.

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Hicks for March.

The first three to four days of March will bring low barometer, higher temperature, and wide areas of cloudiness, rain and snow, all of which will pass rapidly from west to east across the country. Rising barometer and cold westerly gales will bring up the rear of these storms, giving cold, brisk weather to most parts from about the third to the fifth.

Reactionary storms and storm conditions will be central on the 6th, 7th and 8th, almost filling the days between the first and third storm periods with unsettled, threatening and very stormy weather.

The regular storm period covering 10th to 14th, central on the 12th, in every probability will prove one of the most tempestuous and violent storm periods of the month. As early as the 10th, the barometer will fall to threateningly low readings in western and southern sections, the temperature will rise, atmospheric conditions will become close and humid, and during the 11th, 12th and 13th, violent storms of rain and wind and thunder will sweep over many parts of the country.

At the winding up of these storms severe blizzards, high barometer and cold wave will rush down from the northwest.

A reactionary storm period is central on the 17th, 18th and 19th. On and touching the 18th and 19th, falling barometer and return of rain and snow may be expected.

Cold, crisp weather for the season will be the general order from about the 19th to 22d.

The regular storm period central on the 24th, and reaching from the 22d to the 26th, is another period which promises to bring storms of a decided type. As these conditions advance eastward they will grow in area and intensity, cloudiness will ensue, and storms of rain, wind and thunder will touch wide paths in their eastward sweep.

Quite cold weather for the last of March will be very general from about the 26th to the 29th, the cold like the storms that precede it, being progressive from west to east.

A reactionary storm period is central during the last three days of that month. This period will bring a prompt return to storm conditions, which conditions always begin in the western section of our continent and move normally eastward to the Atlantic. The probabilities are that the storm conditions appearing the last three days of March will bring return of general rains, turning to snow along the north and west sides of storm areas. Rising barometer and colder weather will be advancing from the west to spread eastward in the opening days of April.

Theft of Explosives.

On the heels of Stephen Adams' confession comes the startling news that between 600 and 1,000 pounds of dynamite and dynamite caps have been stolen at the Star Powder House, in the hills east of Boise, Idaho. On Saturday night employes of a hardware company, upon going to the powder house just beyond the Boise barracks, found that about 400 pounds of dynamite and caps had disappeared. Governor Gooding immediately had a hundred or more guards thrown over that city and especially around the penitentiary. These guards were placed because nearly all of the men whose names have been mentioned in connection with the prosecution of the officers of the Western Federation of Miners have received threatening letters signed "Kneebone," the name alleged to have been adopted by the "inner circle" to strike terror to those whom they wished to frighten. Armed men were also Saturday night placed around the homes of Governor Gooding, Special Prosecutor James H. Hawley, W. E. Borah and a number of others. The excitement attending the discovery of the theft was just passing away when it became known that all the other powder magazines in the nearby hills had been broken into. In all there are a half dozen powder magazines situated in the hills, and all are said to have been entered and powder stolen. The circumstances surrounding the dynamite thefts are being as closely guarded as the alledged confessions (of Orchard and Adams. The dynamite stolen is known as grade No. 1, which contains about 75 per cent. nitroglycerine

Starving to Death.

Because her stomach was so weakened by useless drugging that she could not eat, Mrs. Mary H. Walters, of St. Clair St., Columbus, O., was literally starving to death. She writes: "My stomach was so weak from useless drugs that I could not eat, and my nerves so wrecked that I could not sleep; and not before I was given up to die was I induced to try Electric Bitters; with the wonderful result that improvement began at once, and a complete cure followed." Best health Tonic on earth. 50c. Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

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ANNIVERSARY SALE.

The success of our business during the past eleven years and the continued patronage of our friends compel us to express our appreciation of their kindness and good-will. We do not know how to better express our appreciation than by offering them special inducements at this time, and assure them of our further efforts to conduct our business on the same plans and principles as heretofore.

Our offerings during this sale will interest you because they are goods which you need at this time

For Spring and Summer Wear.

Five pieces of Fine Sheer Silk Finish Persian Lawns that sell at 15c a yard everywhere. During this sale they will go at, per yard 12½c

Ten pieces of Fine Chamois-finish Long Cloth, the very best 15c goods that can be had; not damaged, but perfect goods, at, per yard 12½c

Ten pieces of English Long Cloth of the best make and quality; regular 12½c goods at, per yard 10c

Five pieces of Irish Linen French Cannon Cloth, the best white suiting on the market for spring and summer; worth 12½c per yard. For this sale 10c

Linen-finish Cannon Cloth, our regular 15c quality at, per yard 12½c

Plain Cannon Cloth, heavy, just the thing for white suits and skirts; 15c quality; during sale at, per yard 12½c

Plain Cannon Cloth, not so fine or as heavy as the above; worth 12½c at, per yard 10c

Entire stock of 19c select patterns of Figured White Madras; the quality that you ordinarily pay 25c a yard for at, per yard 15c

Several pieces of those dainty, neat and exceedingly pretty designs of Checked Madras, worth not less than 19c at, during this sale 12½c

Dainty 15c quality Dotted Swiss; just the thing for a dainty but pretty evening dresses for children or misses at, per yard 12½c

12½c quality India Linen, sheer and fine; the kind you will probably pay 15c for before the season is gone at, per yard 12½c

Twenty pieces of the best make of 4-4 Percales, in light and dark colors; 12½c quality; goods that need no recommendation from us. During this sale at 10½c

12½c value White Pique goods you know all about at, per yard 10c

25c value Pique, extra good value, at, per yard 20c

19c Hill and Androscoggin 4-4 Bleached Cotton at, per yard 8c

These items will appeal to you, as they are always needed about the house and especially at this season.

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MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 5, 1906.

THAT the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad has withheld millions of dollars of the surplus earnings of the Washington Branch Railroad was brought out at the meeting of the investigating committee of the Maryland legislature Saturday. It was shown that this money, which should have been paid out in dividends to stockholders, has been used to build a coach yard and a coal yard and railroad connections, in which the Washington branch has been barred from participating in the ownership, and that these improvements are by no means completed, but that millions more of the branch's earnings may be diverted for this purpose. It was apparent, also, from the line of cross-questioning that the committee suspects that the Washington branch has been made to do not only the Baltimore and Ohio's work, but the Pennsylvania Railroad's also; that this coach yard, on which so much money has been spent, and so much more is likely to be spent, is for the Pennsylvania and the Baltimore and Ohio Railroads, but that the Washington branch's money alone has paid for it. The Washington branch formerly owned the terminals at the capital, but such interests are now in the name of the main line. Senator Gorman wants to know why dividends due the stockholders of Maryland from the Washington branch have been diverted to other uses and it is hoped he may find out.

GERMANY'S real design in bringing about the Moroccan conference has, it is learned, at last been revealed. It is claimed that the Kaiser and his advisers are in reality laying a trap for France. Should the special rights of the republic in Morocco be recognized by the powers, as seems probable, Germany, it is said, will immediately claim similar privileges in Holland, leading to annexation, which France would be bound to resist by force of arms. Were the Algeciras meeting to prove abortive, the Kaiser would still be in a position to threaten the peace of Europe by raising the Abyssinian question, in which France is interested as deeply as in Morocco. Far graver issues than the fate of Morocco are involved, and astonishment grows the more closely one investigates the motives of German policy.

SOME of the members of the legislature declare that a sixty days session is not sufficiently long to transact the business of the State. The trouble is that the State's business is put off till the last, while a majority of the members are wasting valuable time in endeavors to get through their pet schemes and private bills. Why, on Saturday, notwithstanding the congested condition of business in the Senate, that body took time to vote to change the constitution so as to prolong the session; voted to more than double the pay of the members and also to buy a silver service for a battleship!

THE national board, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet tomorrow in Washington when business will be transacted relative to the coming Congress of the society. The Congress will be held during the week of April 16. Of course they will not do a thing with Mr. Lee K. Frankel, of New York, who in an address in Baltimore, recently said "most of the members of patriotic societies of Maryland and Virginia were descended from English convicts." No; not a thing.

A MEETING of young millionaire socialists and penniless East Side workers was held in the ball-room of the country residence of J. G. Phelps Stokes, near New York Saturday to launch a socialist movement. But they did not say a word about an equal division of their millions with those who have no money at all. Common and equal ownership is the cornerstone of socialism.

ADVICES from Richmond state that pressure is being brought to bear on Governor Swanson and his declared opposition to an extra session. It is hoped that if the Governor's backbone needed any stiffening on this subject the adverse vote the proposition received in the House on Saturday will convince him that he is right.

ACCORDING to a dispatch received today from Copenhagen the epidemic of revolution is pervading the frigid zone. Iceland is now aspiring to become an independent power and plans are said to be crystalizing to throw off the Danish yoke.

OPTIMISM again prevails among the delegates at Algeciras, and there are rumors of a compromise on the differences between France and Germany. It is hoped that these rumors may prove true.

Mail advices from the Society and Tuamoto Islands state that the cyclone of February 7 and 8 did enormous damage. On the Island of Tahiti the loss to property is estimated at $1,000,000. The city of Papeete was inundated and 75 buildings destroyed, including the American consulate.

From Washington.

Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, March 5.

The ex-Minister for Foreign Affairs for the Republic of Santo Domingo, Senor J. F. Sanchez, who is now an exile from his native country together with his former chief, ex-President Morales, was at the State Department today and had a conference with Secretary of State Root. Senor Sanchez did not hesitate to say that his purpose in calling at the Department of State was to ascertain what would be the policy of the United States government towards Santo Domingo in the event of the failure of the pending treaty with the little republic to obtain ratification by the Senate. According to Senor Sanchez Secretary Root told him this morning he had no idea what the United States would do should the Senate refuse to act favorably on the treaty, which pleases the administration of the fiscal affairs of Santo Domingo in the hands of this country.

The U. S. Supreme Court today sustained the Supreme Court of Illinois in a case holding that the Chicago-Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company must obey the order of a District drainage commission to enlarge one of its bridges over Robroy Creek, in the western part of the state, so as to admit the increased flow in the stream resulting from the drainage of two thousand acres of swamp lands. The opinion contained a novel ruling to the effect that the police power of a State extendsto matters of public benefit and convenience as well as to matters of public health and safety. The drainage district must bear the expense of widening the stream and removing the obstructions while the railroad must lock to the renowal of its bridge structure.

The State Department has received a dispatch from United States Consul Doty at Tahiti, Society Islands, dated Feb. 17th, in which he reports a terrible cyclone on Feb. 8th. He says: "Cyclone destroyed consulate on Feb. 8th. Records saved but damaged; library, stationery and cousular forms lost. The Governor solicits subscriptions. Estimated loss French Oceanica $2,000,000."

The U. S. Supreme Court in an opinion by Chief Justice Fuller, today, decided the boundary dispute between Louisiana and Mississippi in favor of Louisiana. The dispute involved the oyster beds in Lake Bend and Mississippi Sound district on the gulf coast.

Representative Nicholas Longworth, of Ohio, returned to his congressional duties today, and was given a hearty handshake by every member of the House who met him. To many of his friends he recited some of the experiences of his bridal trip, his experiences in Cuba being especially interesting. He arrived at the Capitol at 10:50 this morning, having come in a street car, and attended first a meeting of the Ohio delegation, which decided, in broad terms, in favor of some sort of a general primary election law for Ohio, a matter now engaging the attention of that State. At noon he was in his seat in the House. He brought presents for a number of friends, among them one for Speaker Cannon. It is a huge cigar purchased in Cuba, a foot long and an inch in diameter. It is made of the finest Havana tobacco. Its label shows it is to be a Romeo and Juliet. Mr. Longworth has received a number of invitations to speak at banquets, among them one to attend the St. Patrick's day banquet at Cincinnati. He has declined them all, as it is his intention to remain here and apply himself closely to his work.

The army appropriation bill, which passed the House last Friday, contains an item of $5,000 for the improvement of the federal cemetery at Ball's Bluff, Loudoun county, Va.

In one of the District of Columbia bills, now pending in the House, there is a provision that requires all wagons, which, when loaded, weigh two tons or more, to have four inch tires on the wheels if used on streets or bridges within the District. This is an important matter to owners of vehicles and should they wish to be heard on the subject they should not delay seeing the members of the District committee.

An increase of only 93 rural delivery routes was made by the Postoffice Department during February, this being the smallest during any month in the last year. A number of routes were discontinued. There are now pending 3,424 petitions for routes, 294 being assigned for establishment. Petitions are pending from every State except Nevada and Wyoming. Of the annual appropriation of over $2,000,000, there remains $905,106 available for new service.

While not foreshadowing any rush of population like that to the Canadian Northwest, Charles M. Pepper, special agent of the Department of Commerce and Labor, has found out there is a distinct movement of population from the United States to Mexico that augurs much for the Southern Republic.

Representatives from twelve of the largest wholesale seeders' establishments held a conference at the New Willard today to discuss a method of opposing the further continuance of the free distribution of seeds by the Agriculture Department. Before deciding on a course the leaders in Congress will be consulted. Some division as to the best method developed at the conference, which was presided over by Burnet Landreth, of Philadelphia, secretary of the Wholesale Seedmen's League.

The body of Mrs. Josephine Swann, widow of former Governor Swann, of Maryland, was taken to Princeton, N. J., this morning for burial. Funeral services were conducted here yesterday by Rev. Roland C. Smith, rector of St. Johns. Many handsome floral designs were received at the Swann residence, among them one from the Daughters of the War of 1812, and one from the Society of Colonial Dames, of which organizations deceased was a member.

Senator Daniel was not in his seat today, having gone to Richmond as counsel for W. B. Christian and others, who were denied matriculation at the Virginia Polytechnic Institute. The Virginia House committee on schools and colleges decided to grant a hearing to Senator Daniel and fixed the time for tonight.

Justice Gould in the District Supreme Court this morning overruled the motion of the defense in the Green trial for a verdict of acquittal filed at the close of the government's trial last Thursday. The court, in passing on the motion, said that it was not necessary for the government to show that the money that passed between Green and Beavers was money of the International Time Recording Company. It made no difference whether the origin of the funds was in the company or in Green personally. It was enough to show that it was used to corrupt Beavers in his capacity as an official of the government. Among the witnesses for the defense are about 25 residents of Binghamton, N. Y., Green's home town, who will testify as to his good reputation there.

The United States government in the Philippines is in the midst of a legal fight with the Roman Catholic Church for the possession of San Jose college in Manila, with property worth half a million dollars and older than Harvard or Yale. Owing to the fame of the institution and the zealousness with which the Jesuits for years cared for the college, much attention has been attracted to the case in this country. Arguments have been made before the Supreme Court of the Islands and a decision is expected soon. The case originated with the death of Governor Figarao of Mindanao in the beginning of the seventeenth century. It was provided in his will that a college should be established in Manila for the boys of the Philippine islands and placed under the administration of the provincial of the society of Jesuits of Manila. The history of the case is interesting, running back as it does three centuries.

Charges affecting the moral character of W. T. Vernon, the Kansas negro nominated to succeed J. W. Lyons as Register of the Treasury, have been filed with the Senate committee on finance, and Senator Burrows has been appointed a sub committee to investigate them. The complainant is Emma Brown, a colored woman of Lawrence, Kansas, now residing in this city.

The handsome committee rooms of the Senate recently constructed in the space in the Capitol formerly occupied by the Congressional Library, were subjected to a flooding yesterday by the leaking of the water pipes in the room occupied by the committee on contingent expenses on the top floor.

Senator Clark, of Montana, won a victory in the United States Supreme Court today in the case brought against him by the United States. The decisions of the courts below favoring Clark were affirmed. The government demanded the cancellation of eighty patents for timber lands in Montana, on the ground that the patentees did not purchase the same in good faith for their own exclusive use, but for speculation and under agreement that the title should enure to the benefit of Senator Clark. The court below held that it was not shown that Senator Clark had actual knowledge of the alleged frauds. The Supreme Court of the United States affirmed this decision.

Fifty-ninthCongress.

Washington, March 5.

SENATE.

The Senate today passed a bill dividing the two judicial districts of Texas and establishing a court at Del Rio. The measure has already passed the House.

HOUSE.

An order making the bill to provide uniform naturalization laws a privileged matter, was adopted by the House upon convening today. The measure will probably follow the Indian appropriation bill, which comes up tomorrow.

The House today without a dissenting vote passed the amended Senate bill giving to the territory of Alaska, a delegate in Congress.

Virginia News.

Henry Jackson, colored, was shot and mortally wounded by Judson Jett, colored, at Riverton, Saturday night, after a row about a woman.

The handsome new Methodist church was formally opened yesterday at Woodstock. The sermon was preached by Bishop A. W Wilson, of Baltimore.

Mrs. Martha E. Mason, widow of Joseph C. Mason, died Friday night at her home, five miles east of Winchester, after an illness of a year, aged 73. Her husband died on February 17.

The question of compelling the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company to run its trains to Strasburg has been referred to the State Railroad Commission. The company operates its trains to Strasburg Junction, one mile distant.

Rockhall Burned.

"Rockhall," the colonial home of N. H. Willis, near Summit Point, Jefferson county, W. Va., was totally destroyed by fire Friday night, together with the contents, including a quantity of the Washington family heirlooms and rare old furniture, some of which belonged to George Washington. The house was built of brick and was over 100 years old. It was formerly the property of Charles Washington, a near relative of the first president. Mrs. Willis, the mistress of the house, is a great-granddaughter of Lawrence Washington, brother of General Washington. The loss is $10,000. A defective flue was the cause of the fire. Only a small part of the furniture on the first floor was saved. Mrs. Willis is a sister of Mr. Lawrence Washington of this city.

Railway Office Burned.

The general offices of the Seaboard Air Line Railway in Portsmouth were partially burned yesterday morning at 8 o'clock. The entire business district and water-front of Portsmouth were for a time threatened. By the heroic work of the firemen of the city department, assisted by the tugs of other railway systems and of the navy and a fire brigade from the revenue cutter Onandaga, the flames were confined to the upper floors of the Seaboard building. The property loss will reach $100,000, fully insured. The damage by fire and water to the valuable records of the entire system stored in the building is incalculable and irreparable. President Barr has secured temporary quarters, and the headquarters building will be immediately rebuilt.

A Village Tumbles.

The village of Tavernola, built on the perpendicular cliffs above Lake Iseo, in the Province of Brescia, was almost entirely destroyed this morning by the rocks suddenly giving way, apparently because the lake had eaten into the base of the cliffs.

The disaster was preceded by a loud roaring sound, which alarmed the 1,000 inhabitants in time to make their escape. One fisherman was killed. About 200 feet of rock and the houses on it were swallowed up by the lake.

The conference on the Moroccan reforms took a most important step at Algeciras Saturday by deciding on the initiative of Great Britain to proceed to the immediate discussion of the police question. The voting showed that Germany had with her Austria and Morocco, while eight representatives of powers supported the motion of Great Britain.

THE LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

The Senate Saturday received the report of the investirating committee, rejecting the appointment of E. H. Clowes as a director of the Eastern State Hospital, and at once adopted a resolution for an investigation of the affairs of the hospital and the transactions of the board. The committee is empowered to summon witnesses, and will be paid $4 a day while in actual session. They will report to the General Hospital Board, to the governor and to the next legislature. One peculiar clause in the resolution states that the investigation shall be open, but no reports will be printed without the approval and consent of the board.

The Senate engrossed the Sadler bill increasing the salaries of the members. The bill, which originally provided for $8 a day, was amended so as to make the pay for the 60-day's regular session, $500 and $250 for a special session which is a little in excess of $8 a day. The Senate declined to pass the measure under a suspension of the rules, Senator Wickham saying it was too important a matter to be voted on till every member had a chance to be in the Senate and to express his voice in the matter. Senator Wickham offered a resolution fixing the pay at $6 a day, but that was not voted on, the Sadler amendment coming up first. The vote was 21 to 12 in favor of the Sadler amendment.

As stated on Saturday, Mr. Machen's resolution providing for a change in the Constitution so as to increase the session to 90 days was adopted.

The Senate refused to concur in the House amendments to the general appropriation bill, and a conference was requested between the two committees. The Senate took up the voting trust bill in the afternoon. Senator Phlegar favored the proposition to limit voting trusts to five years and to validate all its acts, whereas Senator Walker supported the Sears amendment, which limits the operations of the voting trusts but leaves their actions open to litigation. The matter was passed by until today.

The Senate refused to concur in the action of the House in regard to the cutting off of legislation, as agreed to in the House resolution. After defeating the resolution in the Senate a motion to reconsider was made, and that motion was passed by. It will come up for action today.

The bill to provide for the purchase of a silver service to be presented to the battleship Virginia was taken up and passed.

HOUSE.

The movement for an extra session was snowed under in the House by the adoption of the rules committee's substitute by a vote of 49 to 19. The substitute as adopted by the House was immediately communicated to the Senate. The substitute provides that each house cease to consider bills on their second reading after March 6, those on their third reading after March 8, and that the remainder of the session after that be devoted to completion of the work of each other; that all legislation stop March 10, and that such extension of the session be made as the exigencies require.

There was some spicy colloquy between Mr. Curtlett and Mr. Caton and Mr. Williams and Speaker Cardwell left the chair and joined the discussion, and it was soon apparent that the extra session forces were in the minority. Mr. Curtlett declared that large corporate interests were at work to prevent an extra session and prophesied that without an extra session that there would be no passage of the two cent rate bill and other measures would not be passed.

The Byrd automobile bill, which, because of its severe restrictions on automobilists on country roads, has been strongly contested, was passed by a vote of 67 to 10.

The Senate bill providing for the redistricting of the judicial circuits was taken up, having been advanced by special order and was declared passed.

"That's illegal," shouted several members. A motion to reconsider was rejected, and was followed by a bedlam-like confusion. The chairman reversed his decision, declaring the bill defeated.

Motions to adjourn were offered by several members, while the confusion continued. When order was restored the House refused to adjourn by a close vote. Col. Lee moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was lost, and this the House finally agreed to do, thus leaving the measure on its passage.

The conference committee named to consider the general appropriation bill, Saturday night agreed to a compromise of several of the items under dispute. The principal compromise was on the matter of the contingent fee for the University of Virginia, which Senator Strode had endeavored to have reduced to $10 from $40. A compromise was finally reached, fixing the fee at $20, not including the contingent fund of $10.

The public printing appropriation was cut exactly in half, making the sum $31,500. The increase in the salaries of the Court of Appeal judges from $4,000 to $5,000 was allowed. The difference between the two bills as they went to the conference committee was something under $60,000 for the two years. The bill will carry an aggregate appropriation of about $8,400,000 for the next two years, an increase of more than $1,000,000 over the general appropriation for the last two years. The supplementary or omnibus appropriation bill, carrying special sums aggregating about $400,000, will be taken up in the House.

A dispatch from Trondsjem, Norway, says that sixteen fishing boats of the fleet that has been missing for some days, following a severe storm, are still missing. Fifty fishermen have been drowned.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment, Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address:

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

MARRIED.

Sunday, March 4, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Grim, by the Rev. Jno. H. S. Ewell, of the Methodist Protestant Church, CHAS. R. HERBERT, of Alexandria, to Miss ESSIE H. FAIRFAX, of Accotink, Fairfax county, Va.

Today's Telegraphic News

Appeal Taken.

New York, March 5.—Standard Oil officials have appealed from the decision of the Missouri Supreme Court, that they must answer certain questions put to them which they have hitherto refused to do so in the investigation brought by Attorney General Hadley. This fact was brought out in the Supreme Court here today during the argument before Judge Gildersleeve, in which he was asked to sign an order compelling Henry H. Rogers to answer questions put to him by Attorney General Hadley, while here. Counsel for Rogers asked for an adjournment of the case in order to await a decision on the appeal from the Missouri decision. They said the case would come up in ten days. Counsel promised for Mr. Rogers that if the appeal is overruled he will answer the disputed questions without further proceedings here. Justice Gildersleeve adjourned the case until March 26, pending the Missouri appeal decision.

Ice Crop a Failure.

Fishkill Landing, N. Y., March 5.—The ice crop of 1906 is a big failure at the present writing. That is, it is away below what it should be and far below that or 1905. In 1890, the crop was an absolute failure and ice sold at $10 a ton, wholesale. In 1895 it was largely a failure, while 1900 only gave a moderate crop. In 1903, the crop was only about half what it should have been, and this year it is even less than that. A postal card canvass of the crop has been made in five states and the consensus of opinion is that less than half the crop had been housed on the 28th of February. Unless March gives a thorough surprise in the way of continued cold weather, the outlook is for such a scarcity of natural ice at many points as the trade has scarcely seen.

Ice Jam.

Albany, N. Y., March 5.—A solid jam of ice, extending from Castleton to Coeymans, has caused the Hudson river to rise 11 feet above the mean low water level, and flooded the docks in Albany and Troy. The ice in front of the city went out yesterday for the second time this year. The break up extended as far south as Coeymans, where the ice held and caused that which came down with the current to form a gorge which soon filled the entire channel as far north as Castleton. The water in the river, unable to penetrate this closely packed mass, found an outlet around through Schodak Creek. All the streets along the river front in Albany and Troy are flooded.

Iceland Restive.

Copenhagen, March 5.—A movement which has been started in Iceland to declare the island independent of Denmark, has caused considerable uneasiness here. The King is taking an active interest in the plans which are being formulated to allay the discontent existing in Iceland. It has been decided to ask all members of the Iceland legislature to visit Denmark during the summer, and to be the guests of the nation for a fortnight. They will be entertained with elaborate receptions and entertainments of various sorts, and it is hoped in this way to stamp out the present dissatisfaction that exists in the dependency.

J. P. Morgan in Rome.

Rome March 5.—J. Pierpont Morgan has arrived, and is stopping at the Grand Hotel. While here he will confer with the government authorities in regard to the Ascoli cope which was bought by Mr. Morgan after it had been stolen from the Ascoli Cathedral, but returned by the financier when he discovered that his treasure had been stolen. If Mr. Morgan exonerates the Ascoli Cathedral authorities from having any responsibility for the disappearance of the cope it will be returned to the cathedral.

Miners and Operators.

New York, March 5.—John Mitchell, President of the United Mine Workers of America, denies that he has entered into an agreement with President Robbins, of the Pittsburg Coal Company, to force a strike in the anthracite fields. President Mitchell said this morning that he had had no word from the anthracite operators, and would make no statement. A meeting of the operators to jointly consider the demands will probably be held tomorrow.

Reports Exaggerated.

Paris, March 5.—The Minister of Colonies has received an official dispatch from M. Jullien, Governor of Tahiti, in regard to the cyclone and tidal wave which recently visited the Society and Tuamotu Islands, which shows that the first reports sent out were greatly exaggerated. Three hundred and twenty-seven houses were destroyed in Papeete (the capital of Tahiti), and one death resulted.

Fighting in Morocco.

Tangier, Morocco, March 5.—Fighting between the followers of Raisuli, the bandit chief, and the Kabyle tribe began last night at Benimsus, a four hours' journey from here. The Kabyle warriors were defeated and two of their villages were burned down. It is feared that the fighting may extend to other tribes and the government is trying to restore order.

Earthquake Shock.

Portland, Me., March 5.—This city had an earthquake shock and an ice storm early yesterday that caused considerable apprehension. A distinct earthquake was felt at 12:57 o'clock. In several parts of the city the shock was accompanied by rumblings which lasted several seconds.

It seems the only rational remedy for Coughs and Colds would be to move the bowels and cure the mucous membranes of the throat and lungs at the same time. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar does this. It is the Original Laxative Cough Syrup, the best known remedy for Coughs, Colds, Croup, Whooping Cough, etc. Tastes good and harmless. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

The Halifax Garrison.

Halifax, N. S. March 5.—The imperial troops completely evacuated the Halifax garrison this morning when the royal engineers, the last remaining unit, embarked on the steamer Lake Champlain for England. The garrison is now manned exclusively by Canadians.

Well Worth Trying.

W. H. Brown, the popular pension attorney, of Pittsfield, Vt., says: "Next to a pension, the best thing to get is Dr. King's New Life Pills." He writes: "They keep my family in splendid health." Quick cure for Headache, Constipation and Biliousness. 25c. Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons drug store.

The Legislature.

[Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.]

Richmond, Va., March 5.—The House today passed the judicial circuit court bill making five new circuits. It now goes to the Senate where the amendments will be concurred in promptly and the bill will be signed by the Governor.

A caucus to elect the new judges is to be held as soon as the bill becomes a law.

Death of Miss Wilkes.

Florence, Italy, March 5.—Miss Mary Lynch Wilkes, daughter of the late Rear Admiral Wilkes, U. S. N., died here today of meningitis at the age of forty-five years. Mrs. Mary Wilkes, widow of Rear Admiral Wilkes, died at Florence on February 19. Miss Wilkes was with her at the time. Rear Admiral Wilkes was the commander of the San Jacinto, when the Confederate Commissioners Mason and Slidell were taken from the British steamer Trent, in 1861. Two other daughters live in Washington.

Rival to American Cotton.

Berlin, March 5.—Privy Councillor Paasche, vice president of the Reichstag, has returned from a tour of German East Africa. He reports that the country he visited offers a splendid field for growing cotton, and that if it is properly developed the colony not only will make Germany independent of American cotton growers, but will be able to compete with America for the markets of the world.

Wreck of a Schooner.

Machiasport, Me., March 5.—The wreck of the three masted schooner Millie, of Parrsboro, N. S., and the loss of four seamen, was reported today, when Captain A. S. Gibson, with his mate, second mate and cook arrived here after a hard sturggle. The men, it is said, refused to leave the schooner, believing she would withstand the strain but they are supposed to be lost.

Suit for Divorce.

New York, March 5.—The trial of the suit of Sara Madden to recover $50,000 from Peter Duryea for breach of promise of marriage, will begin in the Supreme Court tomorrow. Peter Duryea, the defendant, is a breeder of trotting horses and is a partner of W. E. D. Stokes, in the Patchen-Wilkes stock farm, at Lexington, Ky.

New York Stock Market.

New York, March 5.—A number of stocks held remarkably firm in spite of the general heaviness. The selling in the first hour was accompanied by many rumors of trouble and disquieting gossip. Most of the talk was to the effect that prominent Standard Oil interests were opposed to a bull movement. The gossip in general was to the effect that the market was discounting some favorable pending developments, but conservative opinion was that a downward movement was in order, following the advance that lasted into January, and that no special reason was wanted to explain the wave of the liquidation now in progress.

News of the Day.

Rev. David Moore, D. D., a widely known retired Baptist minister, died at Geneva, N. Y., today, aged 84.

Patrick O'Shea, the Nestor of Catholic publishers in America, died suddenly at his home in Summit, N. J., Saturday afternoon.

A Buffalo dentist who had been in a sanitarium fatally injured his wife with a hammer yesterday and then blew his head off with a rifle.

Representatives of 50 life insurance companies met in New York Saturday and decided to fight about 10 of the recommendations of the Armstrong investigating committee.

A young American named Armstrong, who has been playing baccarat at the Casino at Monte Carlo, has won $130,000. He commenced a fortnight ago with a bad run of luck.

Over 1,000,000 acres of fine pasture land in the western part of the Pan Handle and just east of Portales, N. M., have been burned in a prairie fire, causing a loss of over $1,000,000.

Charles R. Warner, whose brother is the proprietor of the New Williard, in Washington, was found dead in his room in Lynn, Mass. He had asphyxiated himself after a game of poker.

Princess Ena, bride-elect of King Alfonso, will formally join the Roman Catholic Church on Wednesday, the ceremony to take place at El Antigno, which is close at Miramir Palace, in San Sebastian.

In French government circles the vote in the Moroccan conference to proceed to the immediate discussion of the Moroccan police question gives satisfaction as showing that France is able to count upon the almost unbroken support of Europe.

Joseph Lipsitz, plaintiff in a suit for damages in New York, stood stripped to the skin Saturday and permitted his body to be touched again and again by a white-hot iron, to show that a railroad accident had deprived him of the sense of feeling.

Nineteen people are known to have been killed as a result of the tornado which swept over a section of Meridian, Miss., Friday evening. Twenty-four persons were injured and property with an estimated value of $1,000,000 was demolished or otherwise damaged.

Representative Granger of Rhode Island has withdrawn from the race for the chairmanship of the democratic congressional campaign committee. This practically insures the election of Representative Griggs of Georgia, who is now the only avowed candidate for the office.

Miss Wilhelmina Busch, daughter of Adolphus Busch, of St. Louis, and Lieut. Eduard A. Scharrar, of Stuttgart, Germany, an officer of the German army, were married Saturday afternoon at the Church of the Angels, just outside of Passadena, Cal. Rev. T. E. Bunkle, rector of the church, performed the marriage ceremony according to the Episcopal service, and Right Rev. Joseph H. Johnson, Bishop of Los Angeles, blessed the couple.

It is feared that 800 fishermen with their families, who are afloat on the ice in the Gulf of Finland, are doomed to perish. A fortnight ago about 1,000 persons were fishing off the east land, when the ice parted and was driven by a storm into the Baltic Sea. Later the ice split, the wind changed to east, and Saturday a block on which there were 200 persons came ashore at Frederickshamn. The fate of the others is unknown.

The Forty-second street car barns of the Metropolitan Railway Company, extending from 651 west Forty-second street New York, to the Hudson river, were destroyed by fire last night. One man, said to have been an employe of the company, lost his life, and several persons were injured, a fireman seriously. Between thirty and forty cars of the Thirty-fourth street cross-town surface line were in the barns and all were destroyed. The total damage is estimated at more than $200,000.

Former Gov. James Stephen Hogg, of Texas, died Saturday at the residence in Houston of Frank C Jones his law partner, aged 55 years. Mr. Hogg had been in failing health for a year or more. He was elected governor in 1890 and re-elected in 1892. He quit office in 1894 with just $55 in cash and a strong constitution to begin the making of a fortune. In seven years he accumulated $1,000,000. The former governor throughout his life was almost invariably the storm center of some controversy or other.

Gen. John M. Schofield, United States army, retired, died last night at St. Augustine, Fla., of cerebral hemorrhage. The interment will be in Arlington. With the death of General Schofield the last one of the commanders of the federal army during the civil war has passed away. General Schofield was born in Chautouqua county, New York, in 1921. In 1866, he was assigned to the command of the Department of the Potomac, with headquarters at Richmond. From June 6, 1868, to March 12, 1869, Gen. Schofield was Secretary of War.

On Tuesday last Miss Rosa Bell Jackson, of Huntington, W. V., nineteen years of age, died of tuberculosis, after twenty months' illness. Five physicians had attended her, and they finally gave up her case as hopeless. Two faith curists then were called in. They spent days at her bedside, praying and laying on hands. Death ensued last Tuesday. The faith curists continued their visits, claiming that they could bring the girl back to life. Their efforts were kept up until Saturday, when residents in that part of the city appealed to the authorities and a burial was ordered. The funeral occurred yesterday, the girl having been dead nearly six days.

Official.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the collection of certain delinquent taxes in the city of Alexandria.

1. Be it ordained by the City Council of Alexandria that all bids for delinquent taxes and all books and papers pertaining thereto be turned over to the Corporation attorney in order that he may proceed to collect said delinquent taxes. And be it further ordained that he is further authorized and instructed to institute such suits as may be necessary for the collection of said delinquent taxes.

2. Be it further ordained, That the said Corporation Attorney shall pay all money collected by him under this ordinance, less costs or fees, to the Treasurer of the city of Alexandria.

3. Be it further ordained, That said Corporation Attorney shall, before proceeding to collect any taxes under this ordinance, enter into bond in the penalty of $5,000, with security, to be approved by a majority of the Finance Committee, to be conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties hereunder.

4. This ordinance shall be in force from its passage.

Passed the Common Council Feb. 27, 1906.
HUBERT SNOWDEN, President.
Passed the Board of Aldermen Feb. 27, 1906.
J. T. SWEENEY, President.
Approved March 1, 1906
FRED. J PAFF, Mayor.
Teste: DANIEL R. STANSBURY, Clerk C. C.

Letter to Well Bro.

Alexandria, Virginia.

Dear Sirs: Currie Hardware Co, Atlantic City, N J, had been dealing in paint for more than twenty years; and last year found out Devoe. This is how they did it.

Bought two cans, took off the labels, sent to a chemist for analysis.

The chemist found it pure; and they took our agency.

That is the way to find out a paint; but not every dealer can do it. There ought to be public provision for making good things known without cost. It's a pity American citizens haven't got it. The people want it, even more than the trade. Yours truly

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P. S.—E S Leadbeater & Sons sell our paint.

For an Impaired Appetite.

Loss of appetite always results from faulty digestion. All that is needed is a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will invigorate the stomach, strengthen the digestion and give you an appetite like a wolf. These Tablets also act as a gentle laxative. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

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Alexandria Gazette
MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 5, 1906.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:26 a. m. and sets at 5:58 p. m. High water at 3:30 a. m. and 3:54 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair and somewhat colder tonight. Tuesday fair; fresh northwesterly winds.

Funerals.

The funeral of the late Frank Price took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of his brother-in-law, Mr. Theophilus Ballenger, on Cameron street. The services were conducted by Rev. J. P. Stump, of the Methodist Episcopal Church South. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends of the deceased, including a large delegation from the Washington navy yard, where Mr. Price has been employed a number of years. There were many beautiful floral emblems. The pallbearers were Messrs. R. F. Downham, W. W. Ballenger, E. F. Downham, Thomas Ballenger, and Frank Smith, of this city, and Mr. Walter Price, of Washington, all nephews of the deceased. The interment was in the Presbyterian cemetery. The deceased is survived by one brother, Mr. Geo. E. Price, and five sisters, Mrs. James Smith, Mrs. E. E. Downham, Mrs. R. E. Gronau and Miss Emma Price, of Alexandria, and Mrs. S. S. Wicks, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

The funeral of the late Charles Watkins took place at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, from the residence, at 113 north St. Asaph street, Rev. J. H. S. Ewell, pastor of the Methodist Protesant Church, officiating. The members of Perseverance Tent of Rechabites, of which the deceased was a member, attended the funeral. The pallbearers were Messrs. Walter L. Newton, T. F. Johnson, Edward Lyles, George Sullivan, John A. Cogan and F. Roberts.

The funeral of Peter H. Watkins, who died Saturday morning, took place from the residence of his son, E. Stewart Watkins, in West End, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. Dr. S. A. Wallis officiated.

Arrest of a Fugitive.

After riding across the plain of Manassas and a narrow escape from drowning in Bull Run, Detective C. E. E. Flather and Private A. F Johnson, of the Seventh precinct, Washington, assisted by the sheriff of Prince William county and a colored guide, arrested Bill Thomas, colored, the self confessed slayer of Robert Whales, the negro who died at the Georgetown Hospital Saturday as a result of the shooting. Thomas, who is now held at the Seventh precinct station on the charge of murder, shot Whales at the latter's home after a quarrel. After the shooting he went to his home, and, securing a small sum of money, left for this city. From here he when to Manassas, where a cousin lives and where he expected to receive shelter. At Manassas he met a friend who invited him to go to his cabin in the heart of the woods, four miles beyond Newark. It was here he was captured. Thomas confessed that he shot Whales. He claimed that he did the deed in self-defense, after Whales had attacked him with a bottle.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

A young white man, arrested by Officers Roberts and Young charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

Thomas Elzie, colored, arrested by Officer Robert charged with stealing money from Thomas Hunter, had his case continued.

A youth, arrested by Officer Bell charged with disorderly conduct at the Opera House, was dismissed.

Andrew Diggs, arrested by Officers Lyles and Beach charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

Mr. and Mrs. Longworth.

Representative and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth returned to Washington yesterday from Cuba, to which place they journeyed after their wedding. They occupied a private car attached to a regular train of the Southern Railway, which arrived at the union depot at 9:30 o'clock in the morning. There were but few people present at the time. They were met at the train in Washington by Mr. Longworth's private secretary and drove immediately to Mr. Longworth's residence, on Eighteenth street, where they have taken up their home. Mr. Longworth will immediately resume his legislative duties at the Capitol.

The Curtin Murder.

The investigation of the Curtin murder will take place in the Police Court next Wednesday morning, not Tuesday, as had been at first determined. The postponement was made at the instance of Mr. C. C. Carlin, counsel for the accused, who will not be ready to go on with the case until Wednesday. Mayor Paff and Commonwealth's Attorney Brent are still working assiduously on the case, and it is believed by the prosecution that the details in connection with the mysterious murder will soon be laid bare and the perpetrators and accomplices brought to trial.

Work on Tidal Basin.

A machine for the driving of the piles that will form the cofferdam for the first of the piers of the new concrete bridge across the tidal basin outlet, at the foot of 14th street southwest, Washington, has been placed in position and is at work. It is stated that the concrete construction will be started as soon as all danger of freezing weather is past, and the construction will be kept going continuously until the bridge is completed. The center pier of the railway bridge over the tidal basin outlet is now completed.

Death of Mr. Wenzel.

Mr. John Wenzel a well-known citizen, died at the Alexandria Hospital early yesterday morning. The deceased was a baker by occupation and was nearly sixty years of age. A number of years ago he was employed as a fireman on the Bluemont branch of the Southern Railway and was injured by a fall from an engine, and recently had suffered from a stroke of paralysis. His funeral took place this afternoon from Mr. B. Wheatley's undertaking establishment.

The regular monthly meeting of R. E. Lee Camp, No. 2, Confederate Veterans, will be held this evening at 7:30 in their hall.

Personal.

The many friends of J. B. Watkins, who has been seriously ill at his home on south Columbus street, will be pleased to learn that his condition is improving.

Councilman Julian Y. Williams continues seriously ill at his home on Royal street.

Mrs. Joseph Brager, formerly of this city, is seriously ill at her home in Baltimore

Mrs. Henry Strauss is quite ill at her home on Prince street.

Mr. W. H. Greenwell, one of the teachers of Washington school, continues quite sick, though he is improving, and his school is now being taught by Miss L. Kays as substitute.

Miss Violet Niles, of New York, is the guest of Mrs. William B. Daingerfield at her home on north Washington street.

Rev. Dr. Fisher, who had been in M[illegible] has been confined to [illegible] and left this morning for [illegible] place.

Opera House.

[illegible] Raymond and a strong support- [illegible] company will present the Missouri [illegible] at the Opera House on next Wednesday night. Miss Raymond is a bright little actress of unusual merit and has done a great deal towards making "The Missouri Girl" the popular play it is today. She stands without a rival as a character soubrette, possessing a fine singing voice, good looks and charming manner that has won for her an enviable reputation among theater-goers. Her original songs and the way she sings them never fail to bring forth rounds of applause. That Sadie Raymond is a star of the first magnitude is an acknowledged fact. Special prices will prevail for this attraction, the admission to the first four rows of reserved seats being 75 cents.

Junior Order of Mechanics.

James W Jackson Council, No. 55, Jr. O. U. A. M., held their regular meeting on Saturday night last instead of Thursday night, as usual. State Councilor A. L. Bradley, of Richmond, and State Vice-Councilor C. R. Fellows, of Newport News, were both present, and addressed the Council under "good of the order." The State Councilor stated that the order throughout the state was in a most excellent condition both numerically and financially. After the Council closed all present repaired to the Hotel Rammel and partook of a deliciously prepared oyster supper, which was greatly enjoyed by all present. The state officers retired, well plessed with their visit to the council.

Jones's Point Lighthouse.

The Jones's Point lighthouse, in which smallpox is said to have recently existed, has been thoroughly disinfected and Mr. F. E. Wilkins, the newly-appointed keeper, with his family, has moved in.

A representative of the Gazette in Washington today says that there is a report around the office of the Light House Board that a request of the President that Mrs. Greenwood be retained in the position of lighthouse keeper at Jones's Point, which she had held since the recent death of her husband, may still be effective, and it is possible that an order may be issued reinstating her to that position.

Basketball.

The Alexandria Athletic Club will play the strong Shamrock team tomorrow night at the Armory at 8:30 o'clock and a good game is promised. The line-up of the Alexandria team will be Green, Dobson, Gray, Tomlin, Duffey and Biggs. The last game played by these two teams resulted in a victory for the Alexandrians by a score of 20 to 17, which the Shamrocks are going to try and wipe out in tomorrow night's game.

Large Schooner in Port.

The four-masted schooner Medford arrived on Saturday from Port Tampa, Fla., to the Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company. She has on board 2,000 tons of phosphate rock. The Medford draws 22 feet of water and her cargo is one of the largest ever brought to Alexandria. She got aground on Mattawoman Shoals Friday and remained so Friday and part of Saturday.

Work Progressing.

In the last few days engineers have been preparing new amusement devices at Luna Park, near Four Mile Run, which is soon to open. The tower and incline of the shoot-the-chute is nearly completed. Passengers will be carried to the top of the chute instead of having to walk up.

"To Cure a Felon."

says Sam. Kendall, of Phillipsburg, Kan., "just cover it over with Bucklen's Arnica Salve and the Salve will do the rest." Quickest cure for Burns, Boils, Sores, Scalds, Wounds, Piles, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Chapped Hans, Sore Feet and Sore Eyes. Only 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store. Guaranteed.

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A CARD.

Alexandria, Va., March 5, 1906.

Now that my appointment as Postmaster of Alexandria, Va., has been confirmed by the Senate, I take this opportunity to express my heartfelt thanks to the patrons of this office for the loyal support given me for the position, especially to the ladies who were truly sincere, and will use my best efforts to administer the office satisfactory to all.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The breaking of the trolley wires on Royal street this morning slightly delayed the departure of some of the electric trains for Washington.

Mr. William Bumgartner, fireman on the Southern Railway, accidentally fell from his engine at the depot in this city Saturday and broke three of his ribs.

By reason of the refusal of the State Senate to confirm the appointment of Julian P. Baldwin, as superintendent of public schools in Alexandria county is vacant, and there are several applicants for the position, among them J. E Clements, Basil Boteler and others.

A slight fire occurred yesterday in a house on the west side of Alfred street, between Duke and Wolfe, caused by the upsetting of an oil stove. The fire was extinguished by Officer Garvey and people in the neighborhood before any serious damage resulted. No alarm was sounded.

The regular monthly meeting of Mary Custis Lee Chapter, U. D. C., will be held in Lee Camp Hall, Confederate Veterans' building, tomorrow (Tuesday) afternoon, at three o'clock. The hour of meeting has been changed in order that all members may be present.

The Southern Railway Company has let a contract to Lane Brothers Company for the double-tracking of that portion of the system between Greensboro and Spencer, N. C. The improvement, it is estimated, will cost the company about $1,000,000, and the work will be completed in one year.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to R. E. Lee Camp will be held in Confederate Veteran's building tomorrow (Tuesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. A large attendance is desired, as the annual election of officers will take place.

The rainy weather of Saturday last culminated in heavy downpours early in the night, accompanied by thunder and lightning. The wind later changed to the northwest, and clearing conditions followed. Fair and colder weather prevailed yesterday.

Rev. S. A. Wallis, of the Theological Seminary, last night at the Chapel of the Good Shepherd, at the corner of Fairfax and Franklin streets, baptized several infants.

The Grand Lodge, Knights of Honor, of Virginia, will meet in Richmond tomorrow in its eighteenth regular session, twenty-ninth year

Fried Clams 30 cents a dozen. Oysters fried, stewed or raw, Clam Soup 5c, Vegetable Soup 5c. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. feb26 tf

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Flour Extra	4 00	a	4 20
Family	4 25	a	4 51
Fancy brands	5 00	a	5 25
Wheat, longberry	0 81	a	0 83
Mixed	0 80	a	0 82
Fultz	0 80	a	0 82
Damp and tough	0 55	a	0 65
Corn, white	0 51	a	0 53
Mixed	0 50	a	0 52
Yellow	0 50	a	0 51
Corn Meal	0 60	a	0 62
Rye	0 50	a	0 50
Oats, mixed, new	0 30	a	0 40
White, new	0 30	a	0 40
Elgin Print Butter	0 32	a	0 34
Butter, Virginia, packed	0 18	a	0 20
Choice Virginia	0 22	a	0 23
Common to middling	0 14	a	0 16
Eggs	0 17	a	0 18
Live Chickens (hens)	0 12	a	0 13
Potatoes, per bu	0 70	a	0 75
Sweet Potatoes	1 75	a	2 25
Yams	1 25	a	1 50
Onions, per bushel	1 00	a	1 10
Dried Cherries	0 14	a	0 16
Dried Apples	0 03	a	0 04
Apples, per bbl	2 50	a	4 50
Dried Peaches, pealed	0 10½	a	0 14
Pork, per 100 lbs	7 00	a	7 50
Bacon, country hams	0 12	a	0 12½
Best sugar-cured hams	0 12	a	0 12½
Butchers' hams	0 12	a	0 12
Breakfast Bacon	0 12	a	0 12½
Sugar-cured shoulders	0 08½	a	0 08
Bulk shoulders	0 08½	a	0 09
Dry Salt sides	0 08½	a	0 09
Fat backs	0 07½	a	0 08
Bellies	0 09	a	0 09½
Smoked shoulders	0 10	a	0 10½
Smoked sides	0 09½	a	0 10½
Veal Calves	0 07	a	0 07½
Lambs	0 06	a	0 06½
Lard	0 08	a	0 09
Smoked Beef	0 16	a	0 18½
Sugars—Brown	3 84	a	4 20
Off A	4 35	a	4 40

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Among the leading fabrics are:

All-wool Chiffon Voile, with hairline stripes of gray, blue, brown and green, alternating with white, $1.50 a yard.

Silk and Wool Voile, with hairline and embroidered stripes; also checks and stylish-looking plaids; a very soft, sheer fabric, $2.25 and $2.50 a yard.

All-silk Chiffon Voile, in white and delicate shades of light blue, pink, old rose and gray, $1.75 a yard.

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Stylish Tailor Suitings.

German Coverts and Tweeds, in tan, gray and blue mixtures, $1.25, $1.75 and $2 a yard.

Novelty Check Suitings, in broken and small solid checks, 75c to $2 a yard.

Gray Suitings, in a large variety of styles, made of mixed yarns, including plain Panamas, checks, plaids and herringbone weaves, $1 to $2 a yard.

Cream Dress Fabrics.

The popularity of cream fabrics for street and house wear is very marked this season. We show all the fashionable weaves in wool and silk and wool, including Brilliantines, Sicilians, Serges, Cheviots, Albatross, Panamas, etc.

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Cream Serge and Cheviot, 65c to $1.25 a yard.

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Cream Silk and Wool Fabrics, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 and $2 a yard.

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Sully's Courtship.

While on a secret mission to Paris in 1583 Rosny had fallen in love with the daughter of the president, St. Mesmin. The young lady was handsome and kind, but while paying her his addresses he heard of a Mlle. de Courtenay, who was reported to be beautiful, well born and wealthy besides. Prudence suggested that he should make her the Baroness de Rosny, but he was already half committed to the other. While he was pondering the subject he arrived one day at an inn in Nogent and found, to his dismay, that by an unlucky chance both ladies were lodged in it, Mlle. de St. Mesmin in the left wing and Mlle. de Courtenay in the right. Both were ready to marry him, and he was ready to marry one of them, but could not decide which. It was a very awkward position for the wavering lover, and at first he thought of saving himself by instant flight. While he hesitated Mlle. de St. Mesmin's younger sister saw him and expressed her surprise that he had been half an hour in the house without visiting them. The decisive moment had evidently come. "Turn to the right," whispered the friend who was with him. He did so, and Anne de Courtenay became his wife.—H. C. Macdowell in Macmillan's Magazine.

A Versatile Parish Clerk.

The ancient parish clerk in England had many functions. Letters were not so common in those days as today, and the clerk was the learned man of the community. One of his functions was writing epitaphs, but this was not the sum of his accomplishments, as may be seen from the advertisement of John Hopkins, clerk of Salisbury in the eighteenth century:

John Hopkins, parish clerk and undertaker, sells epitaphs of all sorts and prices. Shaves neat and plays the bassoon. Teeth drawn, and the Salisbury Journal read gratis every Sunday morning at 8. A school for psalmody every Thursday evening, when my son, born blind, will play on the fiddle. Specimen epitaph on my wife:

My wife ten years not much to my ease,
But now she is dead in caelo quies.

Great variety to be seen within. Your humble servant, JOHN HOPKINS.

He Stopped the Coughing.

One Sunday morning a clergyman was greatly annoyed by the unusual amount of coughing among his congregation. He had not a strong voice and could only be distinctly heard when the people were still and attentive. As the coughing went on, and even grew worse, he suddenly stopped right in the middle of the sermon. All eyes were instantly turned to the pulpit, every cough was hushed and there was perfect silence.

"My friends," said the minister, with a smile, "it seems you stop when I stop."

This gentle rebuke had the desired effect. The people found that their coughing could be kept down when they liked to a great extent, and the minister proceeded with his sermon under far more favorable conditions.

Ether and Matter.

The densest matter is more or less porous. Gold will absorb mercury as a lump of sugar will absorb water, showing there must be interstices or interatomic spaces in it, but the ether shows no such property. If a drop of water could be magnified sufficiently one would ultimately see the different atoms of hydrogen and oxygen that constitute the molecules of water. If a small volume of ether could be thus magnified the indications are that the ultimate part would look like the first, which is the same as saying that it is not made up of discrete particles, but fills space completely. This is expressed by saying that the ether is a continuous medium and is hence incomparable with matter.

An Odd Bird's Nest.

The oddest of all birds' nests is the one built by the tontobane, a South African songster. It is built of cotton and always upon the tree producing the material. In constructing the domicile the female works inside and the male outside, where he builds a sentinel box for his own special use. He sits in the box and keeps watch or sings nearly all the time, and when danger comes in the form of a hawk or a snake he warns the family, but never enters the main nest.

Come Out of Your Shell.

Do you allow yourself to become absentminded, wrapped up in a brown study? Look about you. Speak to those that you have been in the habit of ignoring. Make friends with every one. Strive to touch life everywhere you can. You will accomplish your tasks better by so doing than by going forward blindly absorbed in meditation or engrossed by internal musings.

Then He Got Mad.

Husband (impatiently)—If the fool killer would strike this town he would find plenty of work to do. Wife—Is there such a person, dear? Husband—Of course there is. Wife (with anxiety)—Well, I do hope, John, that you will be very careful.

Returned Thoughts.

"Do thoughts that came to you in the long ago ever return?" asked the originator of silly questions.

"Not unless I inclose stamps," answered the literary party.—Chicago News.

Advantages of Travel.

All travel has its advantage. If the passenger visits better countries he may learn to improve his own, and if fortune carries him to worse he may learn to enjoy his own.—Johnson.

Free will is not the liberty to do whatever one likes, but the power of doing whatever one sees ought to be done, even in the face of otherwise overwhelming impulse. There lies freedom indeed.

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A Thackeray Story.

Mrs. Bayard Taylor tells an interesting story of Thackeray in her memoirs "On Two Continents." The Taylors met Thackeray in London soon after their marriage. Mrs. Taylor writes that she found "confirmed in his person the characteristics which I had guessed at from his works—a warm heart under the mask of scathing satire. On the occasion of a small dinner which he gave us he said to my husband, after the gentlemen had rejoined the ladies in the drawing room: 'By the bye, I must give you a wedding present. What shall it be?' Then going to an etagere he took down a silver inkstand and gave it to his friend, in spite of the evident displeasure of his youngest daughter, usually so amiable, who exclaimed with all the naivete of her fifteen years, 'Oh, not that one, papa!' But papa gave no heed and a few days later sent us the gift with the inscription engraved upon it, 'W. M. Thackeray to Bayard Taylor, Oct. 27, 1857.'"

Freak Statue.

One of the most interesting freak statues in England is to the memory of Sir R. Holmes. It is to be seen in the church at Yarmouth, Isle of Wight. The funny thing about it is that it was not originally intended to represent that naval celebrity. It was sculptured for and represents Louis XIV. of France and was being conveyed to that country when the vessel containing it and also the sculptor was captured by an English ship commanded by Sir R. Holmes. The body was finished, the head being left for completion on its arrival in France. On learning who it was for, the English commander compelled the sculptor to finish it by chiseling his (Holmes') head on the king's body. Sir R. Holmes was afterward made governor of the Isle of Wight and held this office from 1667 till 1692, and after his death the statue was erected to his memory.

Snow Banners.

In the Sierra Nevada mountains, when conditions are favorable for the display, there occurs a beautiful and startling phenomenon of nature. At times when the wind drives up the mountain sides in a certain direction and with sufficient velocity there stream out upon the air snow banners from a hundred mountain peaks. They are formed by the circling wind acting upon the light snow and are thick and dark at the top of the mountain, like a flagstaff, then they float away broadly for a mile in length in waves of iridescent light. This magnificent display is rarely seen by other eyes than those of savages, but sometimes it has been the good fortune of a naturalist to witness it when among the wild beauties of the mountain fastnesses.

Ancient Theatrical Programme.

Theater programmes were known even in ancient times, though they were then of a very peculiar construction. In Greece and Rome they consisted of small tablets, which were handed out to the audience at the entrance. Those occupying the best seats obtained programmes beautifully worked in ivory, while those occupying the cheaper seats were given tablets in bronze.

The bronze tablets were distinguished by a dove worked in the metal, and the term "piccionerio," used in Italy today as designating the lower priced seats in the theaters, dates from this antique custom.

Another Phase.

No person can say with absolute authority just where the line between decision of character and undesirable obstinacy should be drawn, but many persons attempt to do it.

"I like my wife's prompt decisions as to what she'd better do," said the husband of Mrs. Orlando Jones, "and I admire the firmness with which she settles all disputed matters for the children, but the surprising obstinacy which she displays concerning my affairs is a constant surprise to me. It seems so out of character."

Margaret of Austria.

Bearded women have been very numerous. The most noted of the number was the famous Margaret of Austria, appointed by Charles V. to be governor of the Netherlands. She had a long, stiff black beard and, conceiving the idea that it added to the majesty of her appearance, was very careful of it and so combed and trained it as to make it seem much greater than it was.

His Inexperience.

Judge—Have you anything to say, prisoner at the bar, before sentence is passed upon you?

Prisoner—I hope that your honor will take into consideration the youth and inexperience—

Judge (interrupting)—Wha-a-t! You have been convicted seventeen times!

Prisoner—Oh, no, your honor; I was alluding to my counsel.

A Semiobliging Friend.

"I am so glad I have met you, as I have two favors to ask of you."

"What are they?"

"I want you to lend me $10 and not to say a word about it to any one."

"Two favors at once, man! That's too much of a good thing. One of them—yes. I won't breathe a word of this to a living soul."

One of the Fallacies.

Clerk—As I am about to get married, I came to ask if you would not give me an increase of salary. Employer—My dear sir, that is not necessary. You know a young man always saves money by marrying.

The Definition of the Defeated.

She—And so you think I'm a coquette? Why, I don't believe you know what a coquette is. He (bitterly)—A coquette is a woman who syndicates her affections.—Life.

The Breath of Life.

It's a significant fact that the strongest animal of its size, the gorilla, also has the largest lungs. Powerful lungs means powerful creatures. How to keep the breathing organs right should be man's chiefest study. Like thousands of others, Mrs. Ora A. Stephens, of Port Williams, O., has learned how to do this. She writes: "Three bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery stopped my cough of two years and cured me of what my friends thought consumption. Oh, it's grand for throat and lung troubles." Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

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Through Thick and Thin.

If monarchs have often permitted themselves the indulgence of making puns the fact has not been recorded in the pages of history. One pun, however, is assigned to King Frederick William IV. of Prussia.

It is said that on the occasion of a court ball he was standing near the middle of the dance hall in conversation with an exceedingly thin ambassador. In the haste and excitement of a fiery galop a lieutenant of the hussars danced, with his partner, between the monarch and the person whom he was addressing, and then, seeing what he had done, he began to stammer abject apologies and explanations.

"Oh, that was nothing," replied the king, with a hearty laugh. "A hussar must go without fear through thick and thin."

A whimsical glance from his own portly figure to that of the slender ambassador accompanied this answer, and the hussar felt himself not only pardoned, but invited to share in the king's laugh.

Serving Fish.

Fish is dainty food. Practice is needed in serving it. Lightness of touch and dexterity of management are necessary to keep the delicate flakes intact. It requires some skill to rip the skin and lay it back and sever the head and tail with neatness and dispatch. These three articles must never leave the platter. They belong to the cat. The choicest morsel of any white fish is the cheek. It is not good form to cut through a fish. Begin at the tail and throw aside the skin. Begin at the head to serve, cutting to the backbone. When the meat on that side is helped turn the fish and help the other side in the same way. If there is roe a part should be served each person. Boiling is the nicest way to cook and the easiest way to serve fish. Dress the edge of the platter with hard egg and sliced lemon, tomato and beets.

An Ivory Mat.

Many people have never even heard of such a thing, and it is not to be wondered at, for these mats are exceedingly rare, and it is said by those who know that only three of these beautiful curiosities exist in the whole world. The one we now write about is the largest one made. It measures 8 by 4 feet and, though made in a small hill state in the north of India, has an almost Greek design for its border. It was only used on state occasions, when the rajah sat on it to sign important documents. The original cost of the mat is fabulous, for 6,400 pounds of ivory were used in its manufacture. The finest strips of ivory must have been taken off the tusks, as the mat is as flexible as a woven stuff and beautifully fine.—London Graphic.

Sea Water and Colds.

The delusion that sea water does not give cold is accountable for much harm. A chill may be caught by wetting from sea water as quickly as by wetting from any other water. There is a certain stimulation to the skin from salt, no doubt, but that does not prevent chills from indiscriminate exposure to wetting by salt water, and chills are fertile causes of illness. Chill to the lower part of the body is always dangerous to any one. It is much more so to a child than to a grown person, though many people seem to think the reverse is the case.

Sandy's Warning.

A volunteer sham fight took place in England. During the retreat a Scotch volunteer in scrambling through some bushes stuck fast in a hedge. One of the advancing foe, seeing the situation, for a joke, came toward the unfortunate volunteer at full charge, with his bayonet fixed and a ferocious look on his face. The poor fellow in the hedge, seeing the threatening aspect of affairs, bawled out at the top of his voice: "Haud on, you idiot! Dinna you ken it's only in fun?"

Mother Livesey's Well.

In the grounds of Livesey Hall, near Blackburn, there is a spring called "Mother Livesey's well." The curious thing about this well is that the water only flows during nine months of the year and is quite dry during the other three months—June, July and August—however wet the weather may be. The water always commences to flow on the same date each year, and never freezes even during the hardest frost.—Leeds (England) News.

Indigestion is much of a habit. Don't get the habit. Take a little Kodol Dyspepsia Cure after eating and you will quit belching, puffing, palpitating and frowning. Kodol digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

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BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE Corporation Court of Alexandria city, Virginia, rendered on February 19, 1906, in the chancery cause of William H. Hoeke, who sues, etc., vs. M. J. Wine's administrator, et als., the undersigned Special Commissioners of Sale will sell at public auction at 12 o'clock m.,

SATURDAY, MARCH 17, 1906,

in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, Alexandria, Virginia, the following real estate, of which Miletus J. Wine died seized: ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND WITH THE IMPROVEMENTS THEREON, in the city of Alexandria, State of Virginia, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the west side of Alfred street 30 feet south of Gibbon street, and running thence south on Alfred street 20 feet; thence west parallel with Gibbon street 75 feet, more or less; thence north parallel with Alfred street 18 feet 6 inches to A. and P. Dwyer's line; thence east parallel with Gibbon street 15 feet; thence north parallel with Alfred street 1 foot 6 inches, and thence east parallel with Gibbon street 60 feet to the beginning, together with all appurtenances to the same belonging.

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SAMUEL P. FISHER,
Commissioners of Sale.

This is to certify that James P. Caton, jr., one of the Commissioners of Sale, has executed the bond required in this suit.

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feb19 2w D. J. HOWELL.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the N. AUTH PROVISION CO., for the election of a board of directors and other business, will be held at the office of J. K. M. Norton, Alexandria, Virginia, on THURSDAY, Mar h 8, 19 6, at 3 o'clock p. m. Transfer books will be closed ten days prior to this meeting.

N. AUTH, President.
GEO. W. FIROR, Secretary.
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PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF CONSTRUCTING QUARTERMASTER, U. S. Army, Fort Hunt, Va., February 27, 1906.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon March 27, 1906, for the Extension of the Water Distribution System at Fort Washington, Md. Information regarding plans and specifications may be obtained at this office. The names of the manufacturers of the material to be used in the performance of the contract are required to be stated in the bid unless manifestly impracticable to do so. Proposals must also state the date upon which bidders will commence upon the work and the date of the termination thereof. Proposals must be marked "Proposals for the Extension of the Water Distribution System at Fort Washington, Md.," and addressed to 1st Lieut. WILLIS R. VANCE, Arty Corps, U. S. Army, Constructing Quartermaster, Fort Hunt, Va. mar1,2,3,5,24,26

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11:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:11 P. M.—Week Days—Southern's Palm Limited. Solid Pullman train, electric lighted. Through sleepers to Aiken, Augusta, Savannah, Jacksonville and St. Augustine. Club and observation cars. Southern Railway dining car service.

7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleepers to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

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For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days, at 5 45, 6 10x, 6 20, 6 35x, 6 45, 7 00x, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 50x, 8 00, 8 15x, 8 20, 8 30, 9 0 , 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 00, 11 15 and 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 12 45, 1 00, 1 20, 1 45, 2 10, 2 45, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 10, 4 35, 4 50x, 5 10, 5 20, 5 35, 5 45, 6 00, 6 10, 6 30, 6 55, 7 15, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

Saturdays only, 6 45x, 8 15x and 10 10x p. m

Sundays—7 00, 8 10, 8 15, 9 00, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15 and 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 20, 8 40, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.

LEAVE WASHINGTON.

For Alexandria, from the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 12th street, week days, 6 20, 6 45x, 6 55, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 45x, 7 55, 8 25, 8 50, 9 10, 9 40, 10 00, 10 05x, 10 30, 11 00, 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 15, 12 35, 1 00, 1 25, 1 55, 2 00x, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 15, 4 35x, 4 40, 4 55x, 5 05, 5 15x, 5 25, 5 45x, 6 00, 6 15x, 6 30, 6 45x, 7 00, 7 10, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10, 11 50 p. m. and 12 30 a. m.

Saturdays only, 7 30x, 9 00x and 11 00x p. m

Sundays—7 35, 8 45, 9 00, 9 35, 10 10, 10 40, 11 00, 1 30 a. m., 12 00 noon, 12 30, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 32, 11 32 a. m., 12 32, 1 52, 2 32, 3 32, 4 47, 5 40, 7 05 and 9 05 p. m

Sundays—7 00, 9 32, 10 41, 11 40 a. m., 12 40, 1 40, 2 40, 3 40, 4 47, 7 05, 9 05 and 10 25 p. m.

FOR ARLINGTON.

Leave Alexandria 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 15, 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 1 45, 2 10, 2 40, 3 00, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 30, 6 55, 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15, 11 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 5 00, 5 40, 6 20, 7 00 and 7 40 p. m.

FOR ROSSLYN.

Leave Alexandria for Rosslyn, week days 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00, 10 00, 10 25, 11 40 a. m., 1 00, 2 45, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55 and 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 11 15 a. m. 12 15, 1 20, 2 20, 3 20, 4 20, 5 40, 7 00 and 7 40 p. m.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA. In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 13th day of February, 1906.

Ethel E. Chadwick vs. Ferdinand G. Chadwick } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Ferdinand G. Chadwick, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith